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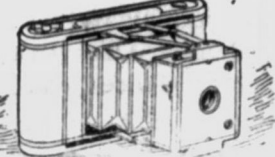
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"TRUSTS."

The Arlington Woman's club gave on Thursday evening an instructive address to the citizens of the town, the occasion being the discussion of what is denominated "trusts." A audience was present to listen to the speaker, John Graham Brooks. The following ladies were in attendance: Mrs. S. H. Cutting, Mrs. Francis, Mrs. William A. Wood, Dr. Woodworth, Mrs. Omar Whittemore and Mrs. Edwin P. Stickney. Miss Annie M. Stevens, the president of the club, introduced the exercises of the evening, in a brief address of welcome to the audience, and then announced the programme. Miss Edith Trowbridge rendered with fine effect a violin solo, with Miss Grace Frowbridge as accompanist on the piano. Miss Trowbridge was heartily encored, and acknowledged the same by reappearing upon the platform, and gracefully bowing her thanks. Mr. Brooks upon his introduction, was received with applause by the audience. That our readers may become the more greatly interested in what the speaker said, we desire first of all to say a word of Mr. Brooks. A man of middle life, and of rare scholarship and culture, he has made himself familiar to the world of business and literary life. Educated in this country and in Germany, he early came in touch with all that is best in the schools. For several years it was the Rev. John Graham Brooks, the Unitarian divine. For a time Mr. Brooks was settled over a church in Brockton, and it was in that manufacturing city that he saw vital differences arising more or less frequently between the employer and the employee, and it was this estrangement between capital and labor that caused him to leave the pulpit, that he might give his time and labor in attempting, so far as he might be able, in helping to adjust these occasional outbreaks between the working classes and the capitalist. The subject of Mr. Brooks' talk on Thursday evening was what is known as "trusts." In the discussion of his theme, the speaker was eminently fair to all concerned. While he evidently is not alarmed by the great hue and cry against trusts still he would have them reasonably guarded and restricted. Mr. Brooks clearly defined his subject before getting at its real work. In all business life it is, he said, first the individual, then the firm, subsequently the corporation, and then those larger associations in business life, which we call trusts. Mr. Brooks showed how by a sort of natural law, the firm and the corporation and that more far-reaching business life, must come as a defense, if for no other reason, against all that individual competition and strife, which seeks to secure the advantage ground by whatever means. The speaker dwelt at some length upon the money saved to the consumer, by this method of doing business in a larger way. For instance, in the line of advertising millions of dollars are saved to the buyer, when business life groups itself, and so finds a common centre. It was shown that little or no danger can come from aggregated or consolidated methods in the business world, for however much, he asserted, you expand trade, you cannot greatly expand the wit and wisdom of man. So naturally enough there must be a reasonable limit to all business methods, as the e is a limit to all human power. And again, trade is usually kept within safe bounds, by nature's abundant storehouse. To illustrate, the speaker cited the anthracite coal trade. Let the dealers in this commodity combine, and exact unreasonable prices, then the consumer has only to purchase soft coal, that the anthracite man or firm or trust may be brought to that better judgment upon which all business can only be safely transacted. Mr. Brooks' conclusion of the whole matter is substantially this: that the corporation or trust is never to be feared whenever an absolute publicity is given to its methods of doing business. Given this absolute publicity, the one dominating source of danger over capitalization is already half met. Mr. Brooks declared that should the trust movement spread, as it now seems likely to do, by far the larger part will go to the wall from sheer speculative bravado, I must be remembered that Mr. Brooks makes a wide difference between trust legitimately formed, and managed in a reasonable business way, and gambling in stocks, or other departments of assumed business life. In a word Mr. Brooks believes in all business combinations which are honest in their purpose and in their way of doing things. But they must be known to the public, and guarded at every point. At the close of the talk of the evening, the Rev. Dr. Watson, Mr. Spurr and Mr. W. W. Kimball, each questioned the speaker in relation to certain phases of the subject discussed. John Graham Brooks is a delightful speaker. He has a touch of magnetism about him which draws the listener to himself. The pulpit unquestionably lost much when he left it, but the business and literary world has made by it. We are sure that we but voice the sentiment of all Arlington when we write that we are under many obligations to the Arlington Woman's club for the enjoyable and instructive hour given us on Thursday evening in the Town hall.

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BAY STATE L. O. L. ANNUAL BALL.

The second annual ball of Bay State L. O. L., No. 418, occurred Wednesday evening in Town hall. The weather was all that could be asked for, and to the lovers of dancing, who crowded the hall, it was very evident they thoroughly enjoyed the amusement thus afforded them.

The committee had been incessantly working for weeks to bring the ball up to a high standard, and the success which attended their efforts must have been indeed gratifying in no small degree.

Shortly after eight o'clock Field's orchestra opened the concert, and rendered the following selections:

"Gardes du Corps" March, Hall Bendix
Overture, Operatic Medley, "Roses of the North and South," Boyer
Galaop, "Don Cresto," Goutrey

The encores received showed the company was appreciative of the musical treat.

The committee of arrangements was composed of the following gentlemen: A. Wilson, chairman, N. Campbell, J. Cramond, J. Miller, W. Irwin, H. Saunders, D. Lynch and T. McGee.

The reception committee was: A. McManus, A. Tingley, G. Cragen, J. Wilson and A. Ganong.

At 9.30 o'clock the grand march was taken up, led by Mr. James Cramond and wife, who were followed by 75 couples. The sight was a pretty one, with the ladies in pretty evening dress.

Floor Director James Cramond, with his assistant, William Irwin, are to be congratulated on the able manner in which they did their work on the floor. They were ably assisted by their aid: H. Saunders, P. McLeod, T. McGee, A. Campbell and J. Miller.

The company this year was considerably larger than last, and the profits will greatly enhance the exchequer. Many strange faces were noticeable, and a large number of visiting brothers and their wives were present to take part in the mazy dances.

The hall was devoid of decorations with the exception of two American flags in front of the platform, as the committee did not deem it wise owing to the great expense involved, but this did not deter or mar the even-

ing's pleasure.

President A. M. Ross did everything in his power to see that the company thoroughly enjoyed themselves, and he succeeded admirably. He will please accept our thanks for courtesies shown.

At twelve o'clock all repaired to Menotomy hall to feast on the good things which Caterer Hardy had provided. One thing is certain, Caterer Hardy can get up a finer spread than any caterer in or around Boston, and he is winning a reputation to be envied by his competitors.

After the salads, cream, cake and fruit had been disposed of and the company returned to the hall, dancing was again taken up, and it was after two o'clock before the last number was finished.

The following were present:

Dr. Henry Hull, Somerville
Mr. Angus Campbell
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Andrew McManus
Handford Saunders
Eben Dickey
Alex. Wilson
John Miller
James Tingley
James Culvert
David Jones
Michael Roy
Herbert Graham
James Cramond
James Wilson
J. R. Graham
Thomas McLeod
William Pepper
Samuel Wilson
R. J. Given
Joseph Dickson
Richard Holton
R. H. Conant
John Henderson
M. S. Ross
James Cramond
Robert Jamieson
Peter McLeod
William Lamont
James Fraser
James McNickle
Thos. Millett
Warren Marston
David Evans
Porter
Joel Holston
A. K. Ross
Mabel Martin
John Evans
George Reynolds
Robert Mann
Wm. Irwin and lady
George R. Lewis
James Kingley
Joseph Law
George McLeod
Dominic Tracey
George Watson
James Wamsley
William Lawson
William Wilson
Martin McGregor
George Evans
John Stowe
William Farmer
Sallis
James Roy
Fleming
Alger

Mr. Alva Watson
Mrs. Angus Campbell
John Irwin
Andrew McManus
Handford Saunders
Alexander Wilson
John Miller
James Watson
L. A. Ross
Sarah Howe
Thomas Hamilton
Fred Smith
Emma Young
Warren Marston
Helen
John Evans
Robert Mann
James Cramond
G. H. Lewis
Alex. Wilson
Fred E. Smith
John Stowe
James Roy
Fleming
Miss Ida Key
Nancy McKinnon
Lynda
Emma Mullin
Hattie Wilson
Fanny McElroy
Lulu McManus
May Finolan
Lizzie Logan
Mary McKinnon
Elizabeth Stewart
Mary Martin
Lizzie McIntosh
Harriet
Abbie Coley
Jennette Vosahlik
F. A. Ross
Margie Ross
M. Moffatt
Josephine Evans
Florence
Fannie Cartwright
Minnie Brown
Lulu Graham
Mary Law
Elizabeth Irwin
F. A. Ross
Anna
Anne Alger
Rumsey
Brewster
May Menchin

ARLINGTON BOAT CLUB.

The following is the club's standing: Games won 2, games lost 7, pin average 786.

A large regenia corona has been placed in the ball room, and furnishes no end of amusement for the club members.

Individual averages in league games: Dodge 167 6.9, Marston 158 7.9, Wheeler 151 4.6, Durkin 139 2.3, Whittemore 161 4.6, Rankin 156 1.9, Shirley 145.

At the whist tournament on Saturday evening the prizes, two French briar necks and two tobacco jars, were won by Stratton and Fiske 1st, and Swan and Taylor 2nd.

On Monday evening Team 2 defeated Team 4. Scores:

TEAM 2.			
Homer	193	169	172 534
Puffer	192	130	159 481
Hartwell	134	135	180 419
Colman	160	217	155 512
Hill	178	140	129 447
Total	857	791	795 2443
TEAM 4.			
Shirley	149	199	181 529
Kirsch	191	199	166 556
Gray	134	188	139 461
Towmbly	125	125	183 333
Toelee	132	126	166 321
Total	731	837	735 2303

On Tuesday evening Team 5 defeated Team 3. Scores:

TEAM 3.			
Wheeler	128	158	166 452
Gray	175	144	156 473
Puffer	113	161	172 388
Johnson	122	166	118 406
Stratton	163	133	106 402
Total	701	704	718 2123
TEAM 5.			
Dodge	157	192	166 515
Fowle	136	160	215 541
Hill	131	152	191 497
Elliot	151	134	150 435
Sawyer	123	133	149 405
Total	721	801	871 2393

Thursday evening was set apart as ladies' night, and it proved a very enjoyable affair. About 100 gathered, many coming from Belmont, Cambridge

and Brookline. Dancing was indulged in till after eleven o'clock. Caster's orchestra discoursed excellent music. Spectators were seated about the hall in goodly numbers, and those who did not dance indulged in whist playing. At ten o'clock frappe was served with afternoon tea biscuit, and the large punch bowl was twice filled. The ladies' nights are a great feature this winter.

The club went to Newton Thursday evening, and bowled with the Newton club. Low scores seemed to be the go. The club doubled on mixed and got to brakes. Marston, in the first game, rolled clean with one do line and 159 as a total. The fancy spare was all made by the club, Marston and Puffer getting 4-5 each and Dodge 5-7. Scully of the Newton club reached 517 for his three games. The score was:

NEWTON.			
Pray	135	150	150 475
Buntin	165	155	191 461
Scully	168	165	181 517
Maltby	159	149	178 466
Linder	140	137	144 421
Total	767	766	817 2380

ARLINGTON.			
Rankin	172	133	137 417
Puffer	139	150	141 401
Wheeler	134	108	137 462
Marston	199	11	153 55
Dodge	138	12	67 56
Total	782	766	712 2200

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ARLINGTON NEWS.

Sunday, December 10—first Sunday in Advent.

Two weeks from next Monday, and then Christmas.

Take "A Night Off" and see the Boat club entertainment Jan. 9th.

Mr. Joseph Bitterfield who has been ill for the past week is much better.

Join the Young Men's club. Only \$1 for membership and 25 cents a month.

Be sure to buy next week's Enterprise. A full and complete Christmas number.

All the teachers in our public schools report a good time on Thanksgiving day.

The Unitarian club enjoyed its annual supper last evening in the parlors of the church.

On Thursday evening of next week Post 16 will elect its officers for the coming year.

Dr. and Mr. Young have been entertaining at their home the father and mother of the doctor.

At the grand cake walk in Winchester on Thursday evening, Harold J. Lowe and Miss Donovan won the prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer of Jason street are made happy over the coming of a promising baby girl to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hardy, Jr., of 60 Academy st., are made happy by the arrival of a son to their family circle.

Mr. W. W. Rawson is to supply the B. & M. R. P. with plants for the stations on the various lines of the road.

The Ida F. Butler lodge had a dance in Odd Fellows hall on Monday evening immediately following its business meeting.

Camp 45 will hold their annual inspection Tuesday evening. Members will please attend. Collation will be served.

Mr. W. W. Rawson was on Monday re-elected president for the thirteenth time of the Market Gardeners' association in Boston.

The Whist club on Tuesday was the guest of Mrs. T. Ralph Parris at her home on Academy st. Luncheon was served.

On Wednesday of next week comes the sale to be held by the Women's Christian Temperance union in Grand Army hall.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Fister will be at home to their friends on the first, second and third Fridays of the month for the present.

Edmund W. Noyes, 16 Avon pl., who has been in California for the past three months on account of his health, is rapidly improving.

A colonial entertainment will be held next month by the ladies of Pleasant st. Congregational church, under the management of Mrs. Walter Crosby.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kimball have very safely arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Crosby in Texas. Mr. Kimball writes he is having a good time.

The meeting of the V. P. S. C. F. of the Congregational church, Pleasant st., will tomorrow evening be conducted by Miss M. E. Gilman—subject, "Christ in us."

Mrs. Wood who resides on Mass. avenue nearly opposite Walnut street, is rapidly recovering the use of her left shoulder, which was recently broken by a fall.

Henry D. Dodge, 687 Mass. ave., and Willard C. Schouler, 173 Pleasant st., have been drawn as jurors for the next term of the Superior court at East Cambridge.

Major Baron, 331 Mass. ave., is through with his jury duties in the Superior court at East Cambridge. Mr. Baron served for three months, patiently and faithfully.

Owing to his increase in business, Mr. J. E. Langen, hairdresser, has been obliged to add another chair, so that tonight he will have an assistant to facilitate work.

Mr. A. A. Tilden was in New York this week, and invoiced a large stock of Japanese china and other novelties, for particulars of which see next week's Enterprise.

At the home of Miss Augusta Sunergren, on Glen avenue, the Young People's society connected with the Universalist church, had on Wednesday evening its business and social meeting.

Mrs. Fister has a rubber plant which excels all others of its kind. Its branches are sufficiently out-reaching that the birds of the air might alight thereon and sing their morning song.

The Woman's club will hold a meeting of its Home department in Pleasant hall at 3.30 p.m., Dec. 12, when Mrs. G. W. Sears will read a paper on "Labor-Saving Devices." A discussion of the paper will follow.

The Arlington Whist and Cycle club had a jolly smoke talk at its rooms last evening. Singing, banjo playing and dancing were marked features of the evening. A clam chowder was served by Caterer Hardy.

The Ladies of St. John's parish hold their fair in the Town hall on Tuesday next, opening at two o'clock. Supper from 6 till 8, promenade concert at 8, followed by dancing. William's orchestra is engaged.

The Cecilia concert in Boston on Wednesday evening was attended by several of our Arlington people, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen B. Wood.

The propriety of doing honor to the name and memory of George Washington, on Tuesday of next week, Dec. 14, the centennial anniversary of his death, must have occurred to Supt. Satchell and Mr. Holt of the High school.

We would direct special attention to the notes under the heading "The Open Eye," published in this week's Enterprise. They are trenchant, timely and pointed, and we shall take much pleasure in publishing more from the same source.

Take "A Night Off" from the club and see the entertainment Jan. 9th.

The sale held by the Clover Lend-a-hand club on Wednesday afternoon was well attended. Mrs. C. A. Lennett and Miss Bott had the affair in charge. The decorated frames on sale by Mrs. W. B. Farmer and Miss Trowbridge, together with the decorated china, attracted much attention.

Mr. J. E. Langen, hairdresser, has received three gray African parrots from the southern coast of Africa. They were brought over by George Williamson first mate of the brig Arlington, a cousin of Mrs. Langen. The birds are exciting considerable interest by his customers and the public.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with La Belle glove cleaner, for sale only by W. A. Hodges, post office building. Treat-que-ry for high grade stationery, confectioners and newspapers.

We have received during the week a copy of the Newton High School Review, the editor of which is Alfred B. Keshaw. The Review makes a magazine filled with interesting original matter. We have much enjoyed the copy sent us. We congratulate Mr. Keshaw upon his excellent editorial work.

Last week Mr. H. B. Johnson removed the boiler from the old part of St. Malachy's church to the new fire-proof boiler room in the new part, had Mr. Aug. Bishop rebicked the same, and then made connections, and on Saturday afternoon the church was again heated. He is a hustler and an expert worker.

Those delicious apples left on Tuesday at the Enterprise office by Mr. H. L. Frost were of the most toothsome kind. And, by the way, Mr. Frost has barrels of the same kind in store which he is selling at bottom prices for cash. It is a difficult matter to get ahead of Mr. Frost, either on apples or flowers.

The Loyal Temperance Legion, which meets every Monday afternoon, at a quarter to four in the parish house, Maple street, already numbers 41 members. Thirty four boys and girls were present on Monday. Rev. Mr. Yeames conducts the meetings. Two ladies from the parent W. C. T. U. were present to assist.

William T. Wood & Co. have just completed a new walk to their manufacturing establishment, from a point opposite on Mass. ave. While the walk is not an expensive concrete one, still it is a plain and durable one, intended to guide and make sure the pathway of those who desire to see the present representatives of this well known firm, who invariably look well to the understanding.

Don't hesitate to take "A Night Off" with the boat club Jan. 9th.

The Rev. James Yeames began a series of advent lectures on the Lord's prayer last Sunday evening. The series will include: 1. The Heavenly Father; 2. The Father's name; 3. The Father's Kingdom; 4. The Father's Will; 5. The Father's Care; 6. The Father's Forgiveness; 7. The Father's Guidance and Protection; 8. The Father's Eternal Glory. The subject for tomorrow evening will be the petition, "Hallowed be thy name."

The sermon recently preached by the Rev. Mr. Yeames, having especial reference to the late Lolita I. Gilet, and which we published in last week's Enterprise, is receiving many a grateful word from the friends of the deceased. The sermon is a beautiful tribute to a life distinguished for its sweet and abiding faith in all that is pure and good. Mr. Yeames, when he wrote that sermon, evidently felt the inspiration of that unassuming devoted life to which he paid such eloquent tribute.

At the meeting of the A. V. F. A. held last evening in their hall, considerable business was transacted. The committee on quarters for the engine made their report and it was accepted and work will be commenced on Monday for the alterations and additions. When this room is completed old Eureka will have a nice home, and the room down stairs will connect with the hall above. A committee was chosen on ball tickets, and all members are asked to sell them. Our popular Caterer Hardy was made a member. It is desirable that all members procure uniforms before the annual ball.

The first sociable of the season of the Baptist church was held on Wednesday evening in the vestry of the church. A large number was present. Nelson Blake gave an account of his delightful trip to and from California, and he had much to say of the Golden State and the great west. Mr. Franklin Wyman entertained the company by telling of his recent visit to England and Scotland. Mr. Anderson of Lynn rendered three violin solos, accompanied by her sister. A substantial supper was served. The entire evening was enjoyable and instructive.

See the Criterion club in "A Night Off" Jan. 9th.

The Grand Army "boys" of Post 36 had a jolly good time at their "camp fire" on Thursday evening in G. A. R. hall. They had as guests Post 2 of South Boston and Post 119 of Lexington. Among the speakers were the Rev. Mr. Yeames of St. John's church. The selections sung were in keeping with the occasion. S. V. Dept. Com. Proctor of the N. H. department was the guest of honor. These meetings of the soldier boys of '60 to '65 are scenes of the greatest pleasure. A supper made up of all the substantial followed the social hour.

See how the Arlington Boat club takes "A Night Off" Jan. 9th.

The Samaritan society of the Universalist church held its monthly meeting in the vestry of the church on Tuesday afternoon. The object of this society, as its name indicates, is to aid those in need of help, and its work at present is to make ready for the annual fair to be held January 17 and 18. A supper followed the work of the society on Tuesday afternoon. A meeting was held subsequently to make more definite arrangements for the fair. On Tuesday of next week an all-day session of the society will be held at the residence of Mrs. Charles Frost, Pleasant street, Belmont.

The popular Sunday evening services which are to be inaugurated in the large audience room of the Baptist church tomorrow evening, notice of which is given elsewhere in this issue, will meet a demand on the part of the public which is eminent-ly just. The pastor, the Rev. Dr. Watson, is to preach upon subjects which intimately belong to and concern the individual daily life. The sittings are to be free to all, and the singing congregational. "Let all the people sing" is the way the scriptures put it. This arrangement of our Baptist brethren must prove a great convenience and privilege to all those who are necessarily kept from the public services of the day.

Rev. P. M. O'Connor, assistant of St. Malachy's church, has been obliged on account of poor health to take an extended vacation from his clerical duties. He leaves next week for a tour in the west and a sojourn during the winter in southern California. Father O'Connor carries with him the best wishes of his parishioners and people of Arlington, irrespective of creed, who hope that a long rest may be the means of restoring his impaired health. Rev. A. S. Malone, recently ordained at Mt. St. Mary's, Emmetsburg, Maryland, has been assigned for duty at St. Malachy's church.

There was a very pretty wedding last Monday at No. 98 Huntington ave., Boston. It was but a small family gathering, and was delightfully informal in every way. The happy parties in the solemn and joyous compact were Miss Alice B. Richardson and Dr. Charles W. W. Miller, a prominent young physician at Norristown, Pa. Miss Richardson is well known as the niece of Capt. Geo. E. and Mr. Wendell E. Richardson, and daughter of Mr. Frank E. Richardson of Boston. She has many friends in Arlington, who will accompany her to her new Pennsylvania home with their best wishes. Rev. Dr. C. H. Watson of Arlington tied the nuptial knot securely.

The A. W. & C. C. Whist tournament is beginning a good deal of interest among the friends of the clubs. Who is ahead? is the frequent query on the street. While we are not allowed just at present to give the names of the individual players, we are permitted to give the teams, and their respective standing up to date. Here it is.

Team	Games Played	Points
1	5	85
2	5	186
3	3	79
4	3	61
5	4	104
6	4	22
7	1	28
8	1	15
9	1	20

The Baptist church gives notice that it will hold preaching services in its main audience room on Sunday evenings through the winter months. The pastor will preach short sermons on vital and practical themes, and the singing will be congregational—familiar hymns which the people love to sing, led by a large choir of young people. The purpose is to furnish a full church service for those who by occupation or household duties cannot attend worship in the morning. The seats will be free, and the non church going class is especially welcome—indeed, it is principally for them that the service is instituted. Tomorrow evening at 7.15 is the opening service, and Dr. Watson's first theme will be: "The purpose of preaching and church-going."

Secure your seats early for "A Night Off" Jan. 9th.

The series of assemblies which are being held in Grand Army hall, under the management of Miss Langley, are so excellent in their make-up and particularly enjoyable. The dance given on Tuesday evening was the best of all this far. Miss Langley is thoroughly familiar with the latest variety of dances. At the assembly on Tuesday evening there were among those on the floor: Mr. and Mrs. Dr. J. Winslow Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Temple, Mrs. Dr. Stickney, Mr. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy, Mr. and Mrs. Langley and others. The ladies carrying bouquets of the choicest flowers were in evening dress, while the gentlemen were in full dress. Refreshments were served during the evening. As everyone knows who reads the Enterprise, we believe in the graceful art of dancing, and hope the day will soon come when it will be taught in all our public schools. It was only the other evening that we spent a half hour at the kindergarten hall as Miss Langley had her little folks keeping step to the enlivening music. We became not a little enthusiastic as we saw the children, whose ages ranged from six years to ten, gracefully approach each other for the waltz or other movement. Yes, dancing in our public schools is bound to become at no late day an important item in our curriculum of studies.

There was a service of unusual interest at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. It was arranged and conducted by Mr. Warren Russell, chairman of the missionary committee, and dealt with the history of Baptist missions in Burma. It followed very fittingly the fine address of Dr. Eveleth of Rangon Theological seminary, and admirably supplemented his personal experiences in the mission fields described. A graphic sketch of Dr. Adoniram Judson's life and work was given by Miss Priscilla Russell, and interesting sketches of the different races crowded in that far-away country followed by Miss Helen Wood, Ellis Wood, John G. Leitch, Frank White and others. The race characteristics of the Burmans, Karens, Chins, and Red Karens were well brought out, and at the close, the leader, who had secured a large map of Southern Asia, showed the audience very intelligently the "lay" of the lands talked about. Misses Marcia and Alice Smith rendered duets, and Miss Edith Frost a solo. These and hearty congregational singing by the large company present made up the musical programme. The meeting was very appropriately followed by a short sermon by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Watson, on "The missionary spirit in the social field," from the text: "Here am I, send me." The pastor applied his topic earnestly to the need of home church work, and active effort to increase religious life in the town, making incidental mention of the duty of uniting to make the new evening preaching service a means of good to as many as possible.

The regular monthly sociable of the congregational church and society was held in the parlors of the church on Pleasant street on Wednesday evening, the entertainment following being under the management of Miss Jennie Roder. A jolly social hour was had by the nearly one hundred and seventy-five present. A supper was one of the enjoyable features of the evening. Mrs. A. C. Cobb was chairman of the committee who arranged and served the substantial feast. The entertainment consisted of a variety of scenes and illustrated plays. The solo by Miss Bolles, with piano accompaniment by Miss Ida Law, was finely executed. Then came a violin solo by Miss Johnson. The shadow pictures, which were a bit of comedy, interested the lookers-on. The nine muses, for instance, were represented by throwing upon the sheet the pictures of nine kittens. Boston was seen by the hub of a wheel with two spokes. "The Old Folks at Home" was illustrated by Grace Trow and Frank Buhl dressed in ancient style. "The Quilting Party" was set forth in guessable form by Warren Taylor and Mary Lockhart. "The Soldier's Farewell" was represented by Mabel Bennett and Warren Taylor. "Fair Harvard" was shown by Jennie Gott, dressed in Harvard colors. "Goodbye, my love, goodbye," was acted by Miss Ida Law in bright blue mu-lin. "The Lost Chord" was acted or illustrated by Miss Williams. Much credit is due the Christian Endeavor society for the arrangement of so pleasant and interesting an evening.

Sunday last was the rector's second anniversary at St. John's church, the Rev. James Yeames having taken charge of the parish on Dec. 1, 1893, and coming with his family to reside in Arlington at the close of the foregoing January. There was a good congregation. The service consisted of morning prayer and holy communion. The choir did excellent work in the musical part of the service. The congregational singing in the hymns is remarkable in so small a church. A new setting of the Te Deum by Mr. F. N. Shackley was sung, the solo parts being taken by Miss Anna F. Smith, who has a soprano voice of great range and exquisite sweetness. The sermon was based on the text in Rom. xiii. 12, "Let us put on the armor of light," and was a rousing and practical appeal, an Advent summons to the people of God to shake off the slumber, the dreams, the lethargy of the night, to put off the works of darkness, to make a new beginning with the beginning of a new Christian year, and to put on the image of the Lord Jesus Christ—in purity, humility, love, and zeal—which is the true armor of light. The following notes of a pastor's work may prove interesting. Reviewing the two years of his ministry in this parish, Mr. Yeames records: Sermons at St. John's, 141; in other churches, 51—total, 195. Other church services, 81. Children's services, 19; children's meetings, 17—total, 36. Addresses, lectures, etc., 35—a total of 317 public engagements. Social and business meetings, 63; baptisms, 9; marriages, 6; funerals, 12. This takes no account of hundreds of visits paid, calls received, letters written, etc. Evidently the notion held in some quarters that a minister's office is a sinecure is not well founded. Mr. Yeames tells us that his sermon on Sunday morning was the 4931st in a ministry of more than thirty years; and that he has preached, on sea and land in England, Scotland, Wales, France, Canada and the United States, from 476 pulpits.

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Mr. F. C. Jacobs, who has been under the weather, is on his feet again.

Miss Mabel Dow has secured a position in an office on India street, Boston.

A business meeting of the Baptist church was held on Tuesday evening.

George A. Dixon is putting up his second house on Westmoreland avenue.

On this Saturday evening the Eleri Club will be entertained by Miss White.

Mrs. Henry Clark of Manchester, N. H., is a guest of Mrs. Etta Mixer on Westminster ave.

Miss Grace Cummings of Stoddard, New Hampshire, was a guest on Sunday of Mr. George Reed.

The wife of Captain Hollis, formerly of Arlington but now of Melrose, is very ill of bright's disease.

Mrs. Bernard of New York is visiting her brother, Mr. Charles McAuley, at his home in Park place.

Mrs. Allen of Washington, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Perry, left for her home on Wednesday.

There are those from out of town who are here almost daily shooting robins by the score. The law should be enforced.

Mr. Reed and Mr. Drew went up to Concord on Saturday to close Camp Crescent for the winter and to house the boats.

This locality has just formed another whist club and it held its first meeting on Friday evening at the home of Miss Ethel Tewksbury.

A dance is to be held in Crescent Hall on Friday evening, Dec. 15, under the management of Fred K. White, Herbert W. Kendall and Oscar A. Schuetzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkins Paine of Westminster ave. were called on Tuesday to Orleans, where their son, Hosea, was at that time lying at the point of death.

The services of the Baptist church at Crescent hall to-morrow are: Sunday school, 2.15; preaching, 3.00; evening service, 7.30. A. W. Lorimer, pastor.

The weekly cottage prayer meeting of the Baptist church was held at Mrs. King's on Westminster ave. Leader, Mr. Hector Fraser; subject, "Stumbling blocks."

Rev. J. W. Brigham of Inman square Baptist church, Cambridge, who passed a portion of his vacation on Claremont ave., Heights, has tendered his resignation, to take effect in January.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Park avenue Congregational church has just filled an order for two elegant puffs to be donated by a lady on the Heights to the Charity club fair to be held at the Vendome.

Chester Hadley of Dartmouth college spent Thanksgiving week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hadley on Westminster ave. Miss Mamie Hadley, sister of Chester, was also at home on Thanksgiving day.

Dr. J. B. Thomas, professor of church history, Newton Theological seminary, gave an able and interesting sermon last Sunday afternoon at Crescent hall, but on account of illness was obliged to give up his evening address. The evening service was made interesting by the pastor and others.

The Park avenue church ought to be well filled tomorrow evening at 6.30, which is the hour for the regular Christian Endeavor service. The Endeavorers are expecting Mr. William Eleton, president of the Floating Endeavor society, who was on board the Olympa during her last cruise, to be present and tell of the Endeavor work among the sailor boys. Everyone is invited to come and hear this young man, who can tell from experience just what it means to be a Christian Endeavorer under far different circumstances from any of us.

That unique Quaker tea party given on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Streeter, 49 Claremont avenue, was an enjoyable affair from start to finish. Mrs. Wamamaker, the president of the Young People's auxiliary of the Baptist church, is equal to any emergency, and never fails in anything. There were somewhere about eighty present at this delightful gathering of which we write. The ladies and gentlemen for the most part were dressed in Quaker garb. Mr. Kimball Farmer especially looked like a Quaker, and he acted like one too. Mr. Farmer in his Quaker costume stood at the door and took the tickets in a meek, quiet way. The ladies so modestly attired were attractive without their frills. Do what we may, and even then it is difficult, to conceal feminine beauty. So it was that on Tuesday evening the Baptist ladies in Quaker dress were charming still. The programme was rendered as "the spirit moved" upon those taking individual parts in the same. No individual names were called. The programme was substantially the following: A piano solo by Miss Easton of Cambridge, scriptural reading and prayer by the Rev. Mr. Lorimer, song by Mr. Walter Bean, reading of Whi-

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tier's "Exiles" by Miss Gertie Finley, instrumental duet by Miss Lillian Jukes and Miss Clara Cann, reading by Henry Schumacher, piano solo by Miss Easton reading by Miss Alice Gardner, song by Mr. Bean, reading by Miss Florence Streeter. The finale was a simple Quaker supper, where Quaker oats was the most prominent dish of all. It was very noticeable during the entire evening that the pronouns "thee" and "thou" were in constant use. We must not forget to make special mention of the pleasant essay on "Quakerdom" read by the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Lorimer. Among those present were: M and Mrs. Trefethen, Mr. and Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lorimer, Mrs. Streeter, Miss Florence Streeter, the Misses Campbell, Miss Sarah Hawkins, Miss Mattie Davidson, the Misses Griffin of Lexington, Mrs. Schumacher, Mrs. Beddeos, Earl Ray, Max and Mabel Beddeos, Miss Brown of Cambridge, Mr. and Mrs. Jardine, Mr. Limerick of Cambridge, Mr. Murdock of Woburn, the Misses Finley, Will Finley, Miss Miller, Mr. Cameron, Miss Eva Johnson, Master Willie Johnson, Mrs. Dow, Miss Bertha Wright, Mrs. King and daughter, and others. Our Baptist friends know just how to arrange for these agreeable social entertainments, which are always enjoyable and instructive.

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BELMONT.
 The Tennis club will hold a dance on Friday evening, Dec. 29.

Mrs. Alice Diaz will be the meeting place of Belmont musical club on Monday afternoon, the subject being on Wagner.

At the annual meeting of the Market Gardener's association at the Quincy house, Boston, Thursday evening, Mr. T. L. Creeley was the poet.

Yesterday the High school girls' basketball team played Watertown girls at the gymnasium. We hope the girls will make a fine showing.

The board of engineers meet Thursday evening to set a date for dedicating the new hose house. The citizens have been liberal with their contributions to enable a good time.

Miss Abby M. Diaz gave a lecture at the mothers' meeting at the High school last Wednesday. The subject was "Home and Home Making." It was given by the Educational society and a good sized audience attended.

The fair given by All Saints' church in Town hall, Thursday afternoon was in every way successful. The decorated hall with its evergreen festoons was beautiful. Fancy and useful articles were on sale. The fancy table in the centre of the hall was under the management of Mr. J. M. Brown, Mrs. L. S. King, Miss Josie Stone, Miss Hooper. The various tables were in charge of the following ladies: cake table, Mrs. Dauley; tea table, Misses Jennie and Laura McCabe; apron table, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Steadman; mystery table, Mrs. M. A. Frazer; candy table, Miss Beth Russell, Mrs. James Cutler, Miss Ethel King.

Last Tuesday evening the Plymouth Congregational church of Belmont was recognized by an ecclesiastical council convened at its place of worship, in the old High School building at 7 p. m. Rev. Geo. M. Boynton, D.D., of Newton Centre, was chosen moderator, and the Rev. S. C. Bushnell, scribe. The following persons were received as charter members: (by letter) Mr. and Mrs. Royal T. Brodic, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Woodin, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Macurdy, Bertha Macurdy, Rev. and Mrs. Elbridge C. Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Blaikie, Mrs. Ida Bowler, Walter Daniel, Hattie Poole, Gertrude Carroll; (by confession) Mr. and Mrs. James G. Pine, Mildred M. Pine, Henry J. Wilkins, Mrs. Henry L. Hart, Mrs. Mary M. Brown, Herman Daniel, Mrs. Enola Daniel William M. Bowler, William H. Gould. The following received the rite of baptism: Mrs. Mildred T. Gould, Thomas S. Brown, Mrs. Carrie E. Greenwood, Henry L. Hart. The council adopted the following order of exercises, and at the close adjourned: Hymn 101; invocation, Rev. Thomas Marsh; scripture, Rev. S. C. Bushnell; baptism and reception of members, with prayer of recognition and consecration, Rev. Geo. M. Boynton, D.D.; right hand of fellowship, Rev. Geo. R. Gilman; address to the church, Rev. Joshua Coit; concluding prayer, Rev. Geo. M. Adams, D.D.; benediction by the pastor, Rev. Elbridge C. Whiting.

THE OPEN EYE.
 The asphaltting of the side-walk on Pleasant street is a welcome and very substantial improvement. But if the terminus of the work for this season is to be Spring valley, our commissioners of streets should see that all the holes in the side-walk beyond are mended before the snow falls. For several winters the water has laid ankle-deep after a storm in front of the vacant lots near Chapman street.

The vigorous and thoughtful leader of of last week was appreciated by the Young Men's club, for I saw that the cutting from the Enterprise was the very first thing fastened upon the bulle-

tin board in the hall of the club house. By the way, it would be quite a gracious thing for some of the town's folk to present the "boys" with some needed furnishings for their pleasant rooms. A clock, a mirror, an easy chair or two, a table or a picture would find useful places.

It is the intention of the promoters of the club that it shall make for the elevation of character and the mental improvement of young men, and not degenerate into a mere place of amusement. Provision will be made for pleasant and innocent recreation, but there will be an educational as well as a social side to the club.

If hard work should command success, the ladies of St. John's parish should have a great success in their fair to come off on Tuesday next in Town hall. Pretty and practical articles on the tables, a supper, a promenade concert and a dance, with, as I hear, possibilities of Punch and Judy, palmistry, ice cream and candy and afternoon-tea constitute, as the late Mr. Barnum might have said, an unparalleled galaxy of coruscating and irresistible attractions.

It is always pleasant to see signs of growth and expansion in the Christian churches of a community. Especially must it be grateful to the clergy and those who work with them when it is found necessary to enlarge the sacred building because there is needed more accommodation for the worshippers. I congratulate St. Malachy's parish and its clergy upon the enlargement of their church. It is already evident that the building will gain not only in capacity but in dignity.

I should have said above, that the clubs of the Arlington Young Men's club are at No. 470 Massachusetts ave. Already more than forty members are enrolled, and other names are on the proposition list. The club is open to any young man of good character, over 16 years of age. Names must be proposed by a member of the club, and are voted upon by ballot after having been posted for a week on the bulletin board.

Can anything be done to help the unfortunate passengers to Arlington on the cars of the elevated road? At the subway the Arlington cars are taken possession of by the people of Cambridge and North Cambridge. It seems a little selfish, when the cars to Harvard square and North Cambridge are as three to one to those running through to Arlington. And it is a little thoughtless for the persons who want to ride the length of Boylston street, and whom every car serves, to pre-empt the Arlington cars. It is a common thing for Arlington passengers to have to stand until the North Cambridge car-house has been passed. It is difficult to suggest a remedy. But could not a few cars be run outward, between six and eight o'clock in the evening, which should be marked not to stop between Harvard square and North Cambridge junction? And, why not issue a transfer check at the square available for Arlington, only on Arlington cars?

ESCAPED.
 What was a serious accident, and a remarkable escape from death, happened to Supt. Chapman last Friday afternoon. The account was unfortunately crowded out with a number of other items on account of our columns being full. As we reported a few weeks ago, an addition was being made to the office and tool-house in the cemetery, and it was at this building the accident occurred. Mr. Chapman had placed a "jack" on a staging and two 4x4 joists at each end of the building to enable him to raise the building and at the same time push it over so the structure would be plumb, as the old building had settled. The joists were lashed to the jack to prevent slipping. Mr. Chapman noticed that the joist had commenced to spring, and went to the other side to make the end secure. Hardly had he stepped upon the staging from the ladder when one of the joists sprung out, striking Mr. Chapman in the face. The blow was a severe one. His nose was flattened, his teeth were knocked back, and his tongue almost severed and hanging only by a mere thread. Another piece of timber badly indented his fourth and fifth ribs. The force of the blow threw him backward, and his foot was caught so that he hung head downward. He finally freed his foot and fell to the ground, striking on his head, receiving a few cuts. When he came to consciousness again he was covered with blood, but realized his condition. Mr. Charles Hutchinson brought him to Dr. Young's office, where his tongue was stitched, lips freed, teeth straightened and ribs strapped. If Mr. Chapman had fallen a foot farther he would have dropped into the mud of the brook and been suffocated. Yesterday he sat up for a little while, and expects to be out for a short time Monday. It was a narrow escape from death. No one was around at the time of the accident, and Mr. Hutchinson, who was in the gas company's yard, was hailed by Mr. Chapman for help.

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The Arlington-Woman's club may be interested in learning something of the organization and work of the Woman's club in Brockton, which dates from 1898. As a guest of Mrs. C. S. Millet, a prominent member of the club and of its committee on "Home," we had the pleasure on Monday afternoon of being present at the session of the Woman's club in Brockton and listening to its exercises. The club has a membership of 450 live, energetic, progressive women. The annual fee for membership is two dollars. The purpose of the organization is to put itself in reach of the masses. While made up of a most intelligent class, the club has purposely avoided becoming so "initiated" that only the "fast families" can avail themselves of membership. Its object, and a most commendable one it is too, is to achieve the greatest good for the greatest number. The aim of the club is intellectual, philanthropic, educational and social advancement. Its president, Mrs. Bradford M. Fullerton, is a woman of culture and refined taste, so she is well fitted to preside over and advise the club in all its interests. The session on Monday afternoon was an unusually interesting one. We may say in passing that the Woman's club in Brockton engages no talent to instruct its members that is not of recognized culture and standing, and thus it is that it has no failures in any department of its work, but, of Monday afternoon. The speaker, a lady from out the state, gave an admirable paper upon the "Wit and Wisdom of Shakespeare." In the first place, the speaker, by many years of study, has made herself familiar with the lives and work of the leading men and women in English literature, so she came before her audience with something to say of the world's greatest intellect. The early life of Shakespeare was pictured to the audience in a charming way. Many of his plays were analyzed and interpreted that it was easily seen by the listener that Shakespeare understood as no other did, the varied emotions of the human heart and the varied experiences of human life. The great author came in touch with his kind at every point. The speaker supplemented her scholarly and instructive paper by a delightful reading from the bard of Avon. We must say a word of the speaker's most agreeable manner in public address. So many women as well as men become so thoroughly stagey and pedantic the moment they reach the platform that it is altogether refreshing to listen to one who does not assume to know it all, and who talks in a natural and graceful way. The speaker, on Monday afternoon put on no "airs." As an intelligent and cultured woman, she addressed her audience as being intelligent women. We were delightedly interested in hearing the "Wit and Wisdom of Shakespeare" displayed with such clearness and in such a natural, taking manner. Mrs. C. S. Millet, who has a voice of peculiar sweetness, sang several selections, all relating to the writings of Shakespeare. Our afternoon with the Woman's club at Brockton was altogether enjoyable, and we are under many obligations to "mine host," Mrs. Millet, for the feast so tastefully spread and so elegantly served. It was, indeed, a purely intellectual hour. We believe most heartily in these literary organizations of women. They have become widespread at least throughout the eastern states and are doing much in many ways in effecting an intelligent citizenship. It was with no little pride that we said to Mrs. Fullerton and to our host, Mrs. Millet, many pleasant things of the Woman's club in Arlington.

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